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## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

### In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 7 with the following rewritten paragraph:

#### **-- Filed Field and Background of the Invention**

The present invention relates to the corrosion protection of a steel pipeline, and to improvements in pipe clamps useful for this purpose.

More particularly, the invention provides a pipe clamp or coupling which makes electric contact with the pipes on which it is assembled and provides a continuous electrical connection, of the pipes.--